

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, more than one million men and women have sacrificed their lives in the defense of freedom during this nation's 193 year history, and

WHEREAS, many millions of other Americans have been severely wounded and injured during wartime service to their country, and

WHEREAS, May 30 is observed as Memorial Day, a day to pause, to pray, and to pay our respects to those who paid for our freedom with their lives, and

WHEREAS, the Disabled American Veterans, an organization chartered by the U. S. Congress, is composed of men and women who became disabled during wartime military service, and

WHEREAS, said organization is dedicated to the service of disabled war veterans and their dependents, widows and orphans,

I, THEREFORE PROCLAIM the period beginning at sunrise, May 24, and ending at sunset, May 30, 1969, as

MEMORIAL WEEK

in the State of South Dakota.

During National Memorial Week, the Disabled American Veterans and other patriotic organizations shall conduct appropriate ceremonies in memory of all those who died for their country. Flags shall be displayed from dawn to dusk during the seven day period to symbolize our rededication to principles of our democratic way of life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 15th day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine.

*Frank L. Farrar*  
FRANK L. FARRAR, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

*Alma Larson*  
ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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